## Group Project - Neural Networks

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library(Matrix)
library(foreach)
library(ISLR)
library(leaps)
library(CosmoPhotoz)
library(glmnet)
library(deepnet)
library(neuralnet)
library(pls)
library(tree)
library(randomForest)
# The dataset from the CosmoPhotoz package consists of measurements of astronomical
# photometric bands and redshifts. We seek to predict the value of redshift for a given
# galaxy, given the other measurements.
data("PHATOtrain")
data("PHATOtest")
# combine observations
phat0=rbind.data.frame(PHAT0train, PHAT0test)
dim(phat0)
## [1] 169520
                  12
names(phat0)
  [1] "redshift" "up"
                              "gp"
                                          "rp"
                                                                "zp"
## [7] "Y"
                   "J"
                              "H"
                                          "K"
                                                                "IRAC 2"
                                                     "IRAC 1"
length(names(phat0))
## [1] 12
sum(is.na(phat0)) # no missing data
## [1] 0
# Next, we sample from the larger phatO dataset to get the training and test sets.
train.amount = 2500
test.amount = 1000
set.seed(1)
train.index = sample(1:nrow(PHATOtrain), train.amount)
test.index = sample(1:nrow(PHATOtest), test.amount)
phatzero.train = PHATOtrain[train.index,]
phatzero.test = PHATOtest[test.index,]
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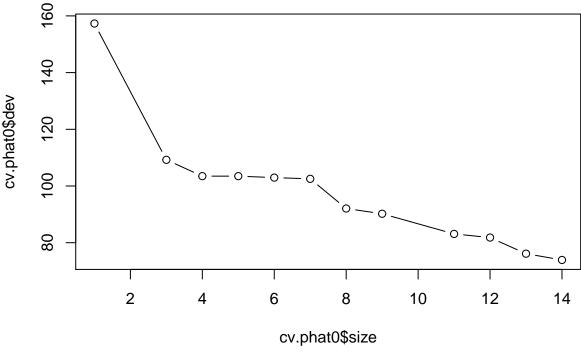
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# Fit a simple linear regression on the training set
lm.fit=lm(redshift~., data=phatzero.train)
summary(lm.fit)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = redshift ~ ., data = phatzero.train)
## Residuals:
      Min
              1Q
                 Median
                             3Q
                                    Max
## -0.27105 -0.05455 -0.00499 0.05193 0.80638
## Coefficients:
##
             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## up
           -0.181200 0.006720 -26.965 < 2e-16 ***
            0.015211 0.015086 1.008 0.313418
## gp
            ## rp
            ## ip
## zp
            ## Y
            ## J
## H
            ## K
            -1.047835 0.023119 -45.324 < 2e-16 ***
## IRAC_1
            ## IRAC_2
            0.063697
                      0.003830 16.630 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.08725 on 2488 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8655, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8649
## F-statistic: 1455 on 11 and 2488 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
# We see in the summary of the model that some of the predictors are statistically
# significant. The adjusted R-squared is about 0.86 which suggests that the relationship
# might be linear. The residuals suggest that the normal distribution assumption of the
# model is correct. The residual standard error is quite low at 0.087.
# Compute the test error for linear regression
pred.lm = predict(lm.fit, phatzero.test)
error.lm = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - pred.lm)^2)
error.lm
## [1] 0.007340993
# Fit a Ridge regression on the data
xmatrix.train = model.matrix(redshift~., data=phatzero.train)
xmatrix.test = model.matrix(redshift~., data=phatzero.test)
fit.ridge = cv.glmnet(xmatrix.train, phatzero.train$redshift, alpha=0)
lambda.ridge = fit.ridge$lambda.min
pred.ridge = predict(fit.ridge, s=lambda.ridge, newx=xmatrix.test)
error.ridge = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - pred.ridge)^2)
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error.ridge
## [1] 0.01520708
# Fit a Lasso model on the trainin data
fit.lasso = cv.glmnet(xmatrix.train, phatzero.train$redshift, alpha=1)
lambda.lasso = fit.lasso$lambda.min
# get the predicted values on the test set
predict.lasso = predict(fit.lasso, s=lambda.lasso, newx=xmatrix.test)
# Compute the test MSE
error.lasso = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - predict.lasso)^2)
error.lasso
## [1] 0.007304559
# Fit a PCR model
set.seed(1)
fit.pcr = pcr(redshift~., data=phatzero.train, scale=TRUE, validation="CV")
# Get the predicted values on the test set
predict.pcr = predict(fit.pcr, phatzero.test, ncomp=length(names(phat0))-1)
# Get the test MSE.
error.pcr = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - predict.pcr)^2)
error.pcr
## [1] 0.007340993
# Fit a Partial Least Square to the data
set.seed(1)
fit.pls=plsr(redshift~., data=phatzero.train, scale=TRUE, validation="CV")
# Get the predicted values on the test set
predict.pls = predict(fit.pls, phatzero.test, ncomp=length(names(phat0))-1)
# Get the test MSE
error.pls = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - predict.pls)^2)
error.pls
## [1] 0.007340993
# Regression Trees
set.seed(1)
reg.tree.phat0 = tree(redshift~., data=phat0, subset=train.index)
summary(reg.tree.phat0)
##
## Regression tree:
## tree(formula = redshift ~ ., data = phat0, subset = train.index)
## Variables actually used in tree construction:
                                           "IRAC_2" "ip"
                                                             "K"
## [1] "IRAC 1" "rp"
                         "gp"
                                  "up"
## Number of terminal nodes: 14
## Residual mean deviance: 0.01726 = 42.9 / 2486
## Distribution of residuals:
      Min. 1st Qu. Median
##
                                Mean 3rd Qu.
                                                    Max.
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## -0.48480 -0.09278 -0.01300 0.00000 0.08196 0.53550
# Plot the tree
plot(reg.tree.phat0)
text(reg.tree.phat0, pretty=0)
               rp < 22.946
gp < 22.7075
# The tree has 14 terminal nodes. We should prune the tree, but we shall obtain
# error measurements for both the unpruned and pruned trees.
# error for the unpruned tree
unpruned.pred = predict(reg.tree.phat0, newdata=phatzero.test)
error.unpruned = mean((unpruned.pred - phatzero.test$redshift)^2)
error.unpruned
## [1] 0.01932991
# Determine the oprtimal tree size by cross-validation.
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cv.phat0=cv.tree(reg.tree.phat0)

plot(cv.phat0\$size, cv.phat0\$dev, type="b")



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##Determine the optimal tree size
cv.phat0$size[which.min(cv.phat0$dev)]
## [1] 14
# 14 terminal nodes, that is, all of the variables included, gives the lowest
# deviance (or sum of squared errors). Thus we do not need to prune the tree.#
prune.phat0 = prune.tree(reg.tree.phat0, best=cv.phat0$size[which.min(cv.phat0$dev)])
# error for pruned tree
pruned.pred = predict(prune.phat0, newdata=phatzero.test)
error.pruned = mean((pruned.pred - phatzero.test$redshift)^2)
error.pruned
## [1] 0.01932991
# We also see that the pruned tree has a larger test MSE.
# Scale data for neural network method
train.max.scale = apply(phatzero.train, 2, max)
train.min.scale = apply(phatzero.train, 2, min)
train.scaled = as.data.frame(scale(phatzero.train, center=train.min.scale,
                                   scale=train.max.scale - train.min.scale))
test.max.scale = apply(phatzero.test, 2, max)
test.min.scale = apply(phatzero.test, 2, min)
test.scaled = as.data.frame(scale(phatzero.test, center=test.min.scale,
                                  scale=test.max.scale - test.min.scale))
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# First we try a simple single hidden-layer (with 5 neurons) model together

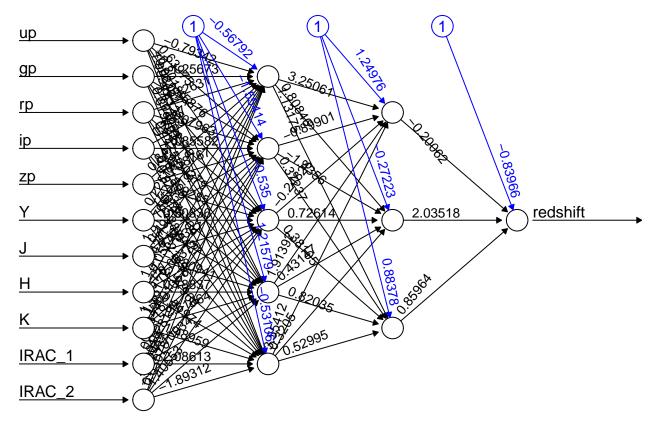
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# with the logistic activation function and back-propogation algorithm.
# Create the formula for the model
n = names(train.scaled)
formula.nn = as.formula(paste("redshift ~", paste(n[!n %in% "redshift"], collapse = "+")))
# Fit the model on the training data.
set.seed(3)
NNO = neuralnet(formula = formula.nn, data = train.scaled, hidden = 5, threshold = 0.1,
                stepmax = 1e5, act.fct = "logistic", linear.output=T)
nnet.fit.err <- NNO$result.matrix[1,1]</pre>
nnet.fit.err
## [1] 1.604277939
# The error in the result summary is about 1.60 which is low. However, when we
# compute the training error below manually we get a much smaller number, 0.0013
# train error
train.fitted.values <- neuralnet::compute(NNO, train.scaled[,2:12])</pre>
trainerrorNNO <- mean((train.scaled$redshift - train.fitted.values$net.result)^2)</pre>
trainerrorNNO
## [1] 0.001283422351
# The train error is about 0.0013 ##
# We now obtain the test error ##
# Get the predicted values on the test set and scale them back.
pred.NNO.scaled = neuralnet::compute(NNO, test.scaled[,2:12])
NNO.preds.scaledback = pred.NNO.scaled$net.result*(max(phatzero.test$redshift) -
                                                      min(phatzero.test$redshift))+
 min(phatzero.test$redshift)
# Compute the test MSE
NNO.test.mse = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - NNO.preds.scaledback)^2)
NNO.test.mse
## [1] 0.0152825406
# We see that the test error is about 0.015, which is quite low.
# We now make the network slightly more complex by adding a second layer
# containing 3 nodes and using the "tanh" activation function which in this
# case gives lower error than when we use the "logistic" function, other things being equal.
set.seed(3)
NN1 = neuralnet(formula = formula.nn, data = train.scaled, hidden = c(5,3),
                threshold = 0.1, stepmax = 1e5, act.fct = "tanh", linear.output=TRUE)
NN1.fit.err <- NN1$result.matrix[1,1]</pre>
NN1.fit.err
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## [1] 0.8905823958

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# The fit error given by the result summary is about 0.89.
train.fitted.values <- neuralnet::compute(NN1, train.scaled[,2:12])</pre>
trainerrorNN1 <- mean((train.scaled$redshift - train.fitted.values$net.result)^2)</pre>
trainerrorNN1
## [1] 0.0007124659167
# The train error is very low at about 0.0007.
# We now obtain the test error
# Get the predicted values on the test set and scale them back.
pred.NN1.scaled = neuralnet::compute(NN1, test.scaled[,2:12])
# Scale back
NN1.preds.scaledback = pred.NN1.scaled$net.result*(max(phatzero.test$redshift) -
                                                      min(phatzero.test$redshift)) +
  min(phatzero.test$redshift)
# Compute the test MSE
NN1.test.mse = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - NN1.preds.scaledback)^2)
NN1.test.mse
## [1] 0.0139118008
# We see that the test MSE is 0.014 in this case, which is slightly lower than the
# previous simpler network.
# Lastly, we try yet another more complex network consisting of three layers, of 7,5,3 nodes,
# respectively, using the "tanh" activation function.
set.seed(3)
NN2 = neuralnet(formula = formula.nn, data = train.scaled, hidden = c(7,5,3),
                threshold = 0.1, stepmax = 1e5, act.fct = "tanh", linear.output=TRUE)
NN2.fit.err <- NN2$result.matrix[1,1]</pre>
NN2.fit.err
## [1] 0.5725076711
# The fit error given by the result summary is about 0.6, lower than the previous two
# configurations (and lower than when we use the "logistic" activation function)
## train error
train.fitted.values <- neuralnet::compute(NN2, train.scaled[,2:12])</pre>
trainerrorNN2 <- mean((train.scaled$redshift - train.fitted.values$net.result)^2)</pre>
trainerrorNN2
## [1] 0.0004580061369
# The manually computed train error is about 0.0004, also lower than the previous two networks.
# We now obtain the test error
# Get the predicted values on the test set and scale them back
pred.NN2.scaled = neuralnet::compute(NN2, test.scaled[,2:12])
# Scale back
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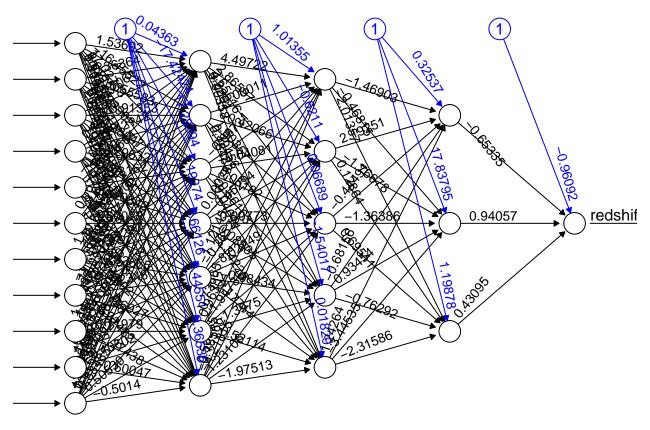
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NN2.preds.scaledback = pred.NN2.scaled$net.result*(max(phatzero.test$redshift) -
                                                    min(phatzero.test$redshift)) +
 min(phatzero.test$redshift)
# Compute the test MSE
NN2.test.mse = mean((phatzero.test$redshift - NN2.preds.scaledback)^2)
NN2.test.mse
## [1] 0.04564603961
# We see that the test MSE for this more complicated model is 0.04, which is slightly higher
# than the previous two simpler networks.
# plot the netwrosk
par(mfrow=c(3,1))
plot(NNO, rep="best")
up
gp
rp
ip
zp
                                      1.42749
                                                       redshift
Η
Κ
IRAC_1
IRAC_2
                 Error: 1 601070 Ctono: 10016
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plot(NN1, rep="best")



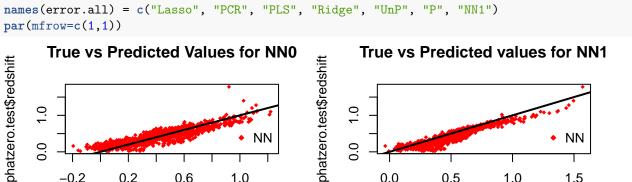
Error: 0 000502 Ctono: 22607

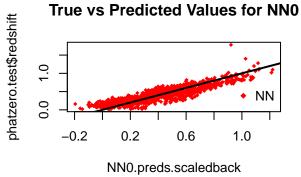
plot(NN2, rep="best")



Error: 0 572500 Ctono: 0201

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# Plot the three neural networks against the observed test responses to asses
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(NNO.preds.scaledback, phatzero.test$redshift, col='red',
     main='True vs Predicted Values for NNO',pch=18,cex=0.7)
abline(0,1,lwd=2)
legend('bottomright',legend='NN',pch=18,col='red', bty='n')
plot(NN1.preds.scaledback, phatzero.test$redshift ,col='red',
     main='True vs Predicted values for NN1',pch=18,cex=0.7)
abline(0,1,1wd=2)
legend('bottomright',legend='NN',pch=18,col='red', bty='n')
plot(NN2.preds.scaledback, phatzero.test$redshift,col='red',
     main='True vs Predicted values for NN2',pch=18,cex=0.7)
abline(0,1,lwd=2)
legend('bottomright',legend='NN',pch=18,col='red', bty='n')
# We see that the first two plots corresponding to the first and second networks with
# very low test MSE's indicate that the predicted values are close to actual values.
# Comparing all methods via a boxplot of the errors
error.all = c(error.lasso, error.pcr, error.pls, error.ridge,
              error.unpruned, error.pruned, NN1.test.mse)
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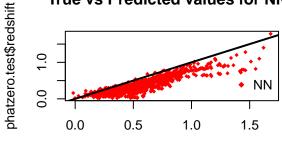




## 1.0 0.0 0.0 0.5 1.0 1.5

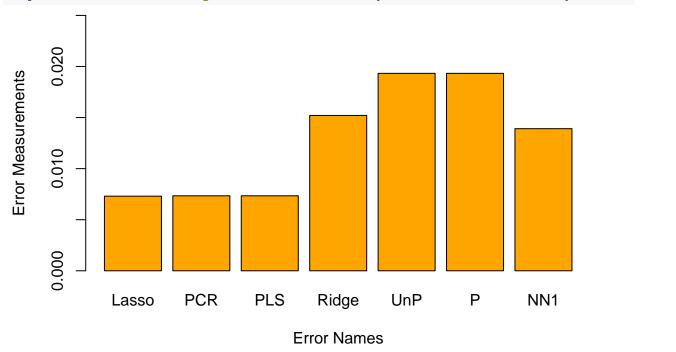
NN1.preds.scaledback

## True vs Predicted values for NN2



NN2.preds.scaledback

barplot(error.all, col="orange" ,xlab="Error Names", ylab="Error Measurements", ylim = c(0,0.025))



which.min(error.all)

## Lasso

## ##

# We see that the Lasso, PCR, and PLS models produce the lowest test MSEs, all
# very close, with Lasso being slightly lower than the other two, and so the lowest
# in all models. The neural network with 2 hidden layers and the "tanh" activation function
# produces the next lowest test MSE, and so outperforms Ridge and tree regressions.

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